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C O N F I D E N T I A L MADRID 1882

FOR AMBASSADOR MCCLOSKEY

E.O. 11652: GDS

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SUBJ: VISIT OF AMBASSADOR-AT-LARGE ROVIRA

1. ROVIRA HAS BEEN INSTRUCTED BY THE FOREIGN MINISTER TO GO TO WASHINGTON ON SATURDAY FOR FOUR OR FIVE DAYS TO COORDINATE SPANISH PLANNING FOR THE KING'S VISIT AND FOR BICENTENNIAL PARTICIPATION. HE HAS ALSO BEEN ASKED BY THE MINISTER TO TALK WITH YOU ABOUT THE STATE OF THE RATIFICATION HEARINGS. ROVIRA HAS ALSO ASKED ME IF YOU COULD ARRANGE FOR HIM TO CALL ON SENATOR SPARKMAN. I UNDERSTAND THAT THE TREATY WILL BE SENT TO THE CORTES LATER THIS WEEK AND I BELIEVE THAT ROVIRA WOULD LIKE TO BE ABLE TO GET A FIRST-HAND FEEL FOR THE SITUATION IN WASHINGTON FOR USE IN DISCUSSIONS WITH THE CORTES.

2. EVEN THOUGH ROVIRA DID NOT SAY SO, I THINK IT IS LIKELY THAT HE MAY ALSO EXPRESS CONCERN REGARDING PRESSURES WHICH ARE BEING BROUGHT TO BEAR ON THE SPANISH ON NPT AND ON RADIO LIBERTY IN CONNECTION WITH TREATY RATIFICATION. AREILZA HAS EXPRESSED TO ME HIS OWN CONCERN OVER WHAT HE TERMS AS AN ESCALATING "PRICE FOR THE TREATY". I HAVE ENDEAVORED TO EXPLAIN TO HIM THAT WE CANNOT CONTROL WHAT SENATORS MAY WISH TO RAISE IN CONNECTION WITH THE TREATY AND THAT I HAD PREVIOUSLY WARNED HIM THAT THESE QUESTIONS WOULD COME UP.

3. IN PREPARATION FOR YOUR TALK WITH ROVIRA YOU MAY ALSO WANT
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TO BE BRIEFED ON A PROBLEM WHICH NOW HAS ARISEN OVER THE

PROPOSED EXCHANGE OF F4C'S FOR F4E'S. IN A WORD, THE F4E'S
THAT WE WERE ABLE TO OFFER WERE TOO OLD FOR THE SPANISH AND
THEY HAVE NOW ASKED TO CALL OFF THIS PART OF THE DEAL. EUR
SHOULD HAVE ALL THE CABLE TRAFFIC ON THIS.
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